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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Commissioner:

Please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please amend the title to read -- METHOD OF PCR TESTING OF POOLED  
BLOOD SAMPLES --.

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